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Applicants: David L. Lewis et al.

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For: Inhibition of Gene Expression by Delivery of Small Interfering RNA to Post-

Embryonic Animal Cells In Vivo

Commissioner of Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

## Dear Commissioner:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated December 22, 2008. Kindly amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.